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Get Ready For Spring.

Use Brandram-Henderson 100 p.c. Pure
Paint and kill the "flu" germs. We have a
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Wall-Paper At A Sacrifice.

We have a stock of broken lines of wall-
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OYEN

ALBERTA

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT OYEN.

The Sunday School Convention held
under the auspices of the Oyen Sun-
day School took place on Tuesday and
Wednesday, April 1 and 2. Although
there was a further outbreak of the
"flu" at Oyen and Chinook interfer-
ing with the attendance from those
places, twenty-four delegates
from outside places were in attend-
ance. These delegates represented
ten Sunday Schools. Owing to the
break up of the roads, it was not ex-
pected there would be so many from
the rural districts. The local Bil-
let committee had no difficulty in
providing for their guests. They could
easily have provided for as many
more, thanks to the hospitality of the
Oyen people. One delegate was heard
to remark "that he had splendid ac-
commodation, much better than he
expected."

At the opening session on Tuesday
afternoon, Mr. J. H. Alexander in a
few well-chosen words extended a
heartily welcome to the delegates.
The first paper, "The Relation of
the Child to the Church," was read
by Miss Bertha Cates, but prepared by
Mr. C. M. Coates, superintendent of
Kirkwall Sunday school. In it he
claimed that "children were the
Kingdom and that it was the privilege
and duty of the church to keep them
there." His paper called forth con-
siderable discussion. We regret Mr.
Coates was detained through sickness
in his home, from answering questions
his paper called forth.

Mrs. Finlay gave an illuminating
paper on the Cradle Roll department
of the Sunday school.
Rev. Wm. Forshaw, of Sibbald, gave
an instructive address on "The Proper
Grading of the Classes," while Rev.
Wm. P. Smith, of Pollock, gave a
rather heavy paper on "Graded In-
struction in the Sunday School." Both
subjects were well discussed and sev-
eral questions were asked concerning
their contents. Between the papers
several splendid choruses were ren-
dered by a number of Sunday school
scholars.

At evening session, after a brief
song service, Mr. Robert Smith con-
ducted the devotional exercises. Then
a beautiful music song, "Nearer, My
God, to Thee," was well given by
about a dozen teenage girls. They
had been drilled by Miss Alexander
and went through the exercises well.
Rev. Mr. Forshaw gave an address on
"Our Greatest Sunday School Prob-
lems." He chiefly emphasized the
inability of many to understand child
nature, and the necessity of many
ought to be teaching, in leaving the
responsibility to others, as two great
problems. The discussion revealed
the mind of the audience to be the
indifference of parents to the religious
instruction of their children, as con-
stituting the greatest difficulty.

Miss E. M. Hallman favored the
audience with a very appropriate solo.
Then Clifford Cates submitted himself
to be charted according to the Cana-
dian standard efficiency tests. The
tests revealed that Clifford was about
65 per cent. efficient in the intellec-
tual standard and about 75 per cent.
efficient in the religious standard.
This is considerably higher than the
average boy.

At the Wednesday morning session
Rev. Mr. Smith conducted devotions.
Then Mrs. Robert Smith gave a very
original paper on the "Cultivation of
the Missionary Spirit in the Sunday
School." She stated that if we are
to impart the missionary spirit, we
must be red hot missionary enthusiasts
ourselves. She emphasized the
necessity of giving knowledge of for-
eign peoples and their customs to
Sunday school pupils, of missionary
drills by the pupils in order to edu-
cate the scholars to sympathetic in-
terest in others.

Mr. P. J. Whitlock gave a splendid
talk on "The Conducting of a Bible
Class." It was quite original. He
spoke from the heart and out of ex-
perience. He emphasized exceedingly
in the class toward the newcomer as
absolutely essential; urged all Bible
classes to organize, as creating and
developing a class spirit and promot-
ing class interest. He believed that
non-attendance or irregular attend-
ance of Bible classes was due to a dis-
turbance caused by a lack of personal
interest in others than any other
cause. The closing paper, "System-
atic Evangelism in the Sunday
School," was contributed by Mr. W.
T. Walker. This was a very inspiring
subject, a fitting close to the con-
vention, and it was well discussed.
Some miscellaneous matters relating
to popular amusements, brought in

HOTEL DINING ROOM NOW OPENED

What has been a long-felt
want in our town was revealed
on Wednesday last when the Al-
berta hotel dining room was open-
ed, after having been closed for
several months. The propi-
etor, Mr. Bickett, has gone to
considerable expense in improv-
ing the room and furnishings, as
well as new silverware, which
are all essential in making a visit-
or feel "at home."

To show how the town appre-
ciated this enterprise, the repre-
sentatives of the village council
and the Board of Trade had din-
ner at the hotel on the opening
day, and were highly pleased
with the many improvements,
apart from the splendid meal
served.

A town is like a large family.
We are all interested in each
other's welfare, or should be. A
cut-throat every-man-for-himself
policy means ruin for any com-
munity. It means retrogression
and failure. The first lesson
that any family must learn is
that to be happy and successful
its unity and mutual assistance.
The same applies to the business
life of a town and the more gen-
erally it is obeyed the more abun-
dant will be the town's prosper-
ity. Stand by each other and pa-
tronize the home folks.

PAINT AND FIX UP

Now is the time for you to
paint and fix up, and make home
and store look as if there was a
little enterprise around you. Take
the garden rake and collect all
the old rubbish of 1918 in a pile
and set fire to it and let it be
burned up. Then go for the pile,
remove it far hence, so that your
yard will look as though some-
one were living there. There is
no place like home, therefore
make it beautiful.

There is nothing that adds
more to the appearance of a town
than well kept premises, neat
yards, clean gardens, and last but
not least, a tidy looking fence.
Let every citizen bear this in
mind and by so doing we will
have our town one of the nicest
on the Goose Lake line.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OYEN CURLING CLUB

The annual meeting of the
Oyen Curling Club was held in
the Masonic Hall on Tuesday eve-
ning of last week, when the fol-
lowing officers were elected for
the coming season: President, C.
S. Wright; first vice-president,
E. P. Brabour; second vice-presi-
dent, E. Cates; secretary-treas-
urer, Theo. Lees; honorary pres-
idents, B. H. Dial, J. H. Alexan-
der and A. McQuarrie; executive
committee, Wm. Lannon, H.
Hutchison, Geo. Dunlop, R. E.
Gillespie and J. P. Kerr; ice com-
mittee, W. Lannon, A. M. Mc-
Quarrie and Don May.

Capt. W. Brown returned to
Oyen on Monday from overseas.
He enlisted over three years
ago, and has seen much active
service in France.

By Mr. Walker, with the request that
they be discussed, called forth con-
siderable discussion, and used up all
our remaining time.

With a few closing words by the
chairman, R. E. Finlay, the convention
was brought to an end. Many of the
delegates in leaving, expressed them-
selves as helped and benefited by the
convention and hoped that another
might be held next autumn.

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Braid's Ideal Tea per 60c lb.	
Melrose Black Tea per 60c lb.	
Our Own Black Tea per 60c lb.	
1 gal. Cork Sweet Pickles each	\$1.00.
" Sour "	1.60.
1 qt. Sealer Sweet "	.60.
" Sour "	.55.

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Racial Question and League of Nations

Paris. — William Hughes, premier of Australia, made the statement to the Associated Press that he was unalterably in opposition to the proposed racial equality amendment to the covenant of the league of nations or to any form of it, however mild in recognizing the principle.

The American amendment concerning the Munro Doctrine and the Japanese racial amendments were not included in the covenant of the league of nations as sent to the drafting committee. The amendments may be offered later at a plenary session of the peace council or before the council of ten.

The Japanese delegation to the peace conference continued to press for an amendment to the covenant of the league which would go as far as the conference was willing to concede toward the promulgation of the principle of the equality of races. The original Japanese proposal, which met with speedy rejection, has been modified by them several times until as it stands today, it calls for "recognition of the equality of nations and just treatment of all their nationals." It was generally understood that several of the leading delegations, including the United States mission and the majority of the British, were inclined to believe there was nothing objectionable to an amendment thus framed.

"Australia," said Premier Hughes, "cannot accept this proposal which strikes at the very root of the policy that we have maintained" — to long which is vital to our existence, and which we have guarded as jealously as has America her Monroe Doctrine. "I am anxious to avoid anything likely to hurt the susceptibilities of the people of other nations, but on this point, since we cannot give way, it is best that I should speak plainly. We cannot agree to the insertion of any words in the covenant or in the treaty of peace, that would impair or even question our sovereign rights in regard to any and every aspect of this question."

"One of the principles of the league is that there shall be no interference in the internal affairs of any nation. No nation will surrender its sovereignty in matters essential to its welfare to enter the league."

"I cannot but regard the proposed amendment as an effort to establish a position which ultimately some nations would find their internal policy challenged by the league at the instigation of one of its members. The amendment, no matter how innocuous it may seem in form, is certainly aimed at giving the league control of questions relating to immigration, naturalization and matters which will not be surrendered by any state without such impairment of its sovereignty as to make it, in effect, a subject state."

"If the league is able to compel a state to amend its immigration, naturalization and other laws, there remains to the state only the shadow of sovereignty. The substance has gone. No free nation could agree to dictation in such a matter as the league of nations. Intimate problems belong to and must remain under the control of the individual nation."

London. — Replying to Brigadier-General Croft in the house of commons, Right Hon. Andrew Bonar Law said that no agreement will be entered into at Paris which would interfere with the full control of the United Kingdom or the dominions over their own customs duties.

Paving the Way For Permanent Peace

London. — The Paris correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette says, on high authority that "in order to avoid perils which would inevitably arise if preliminary peace negotiations were not drafted until such time as the various commissions shall have finished their labors, and have presented their respective reports, the representatives of the great powers have drawn up certain proposals which seem apt to constitute the basis of a preliminary treaty, or one analogous to that signed at Versailles in 1919."

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Defeat Daylight Saving Bill

Resolution Defeated in Commons by a Vote of 105 to 50

Ottawa. — A resolution in favor of the re-enactment of the daylight saving bill this year was defeated in the commons, the vote against it being 105 to 50. The resolution was moved by Major R. C. Cooper, Vancouver South a Unionist member, and seconded by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux.

The debate occupied the entire sitting and it was evident from the beginning, that the opponents of the resolution were in the majority. The rural representatives of Ontario and the prairie provinces were practically a unit in their opposition, while the urban representatives of the east, along with practically a solid British Columbia and a majority of the Quebec members, both rural and urban, favored the re-enactment of the legislation of last year. The maritime provinces were split. Only seven members from Ontario favored daylight saving.

Huns Held Danish Residents

Paris. — Germany is detaining Danish residents of Schleswig who desire to return home after having been released from Russian prisons, according to advices reaching the French foreign office. These men were among German taken prisoners by the Russians during the war and, after being let go in Russia, attempted to return to Schleswig. They are, however, it is being reported, imprisoned in Germany and denied permission to go home.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give it when feverish, cross, bilious, for bad breath or sour stomach. Look at the tongue. Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach here and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, head aches, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a spoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the food, consipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of your little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't cross sick children to take this harmless "Figs Laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it cleanses the system. Give it to all ages and for grown-ups playfully on the "California Syrup of Figs" bottle. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

Weather Supplied

Montreal. — The Marconi Wireless company has completed arrangements for supplying diagrams to aviators who may attempt to cross the Atlantic.

A complete series of bulletins about weather conditions over the area to be traversed will be compiled from advices to ships at sea and will be sent out from the company's Glace Bay station and picked up by the aviators.

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posed at," continues the correspondent, "but the terms will be sufficiently firm, drastic and definite to provide for an enduring peace, justify in large measure early demobilization, simplify the grave international food problem and pave the way for speedy industrial reconstruction and financial reorganization."

"The principal aims of the proposals now before the inner council are:

"1. To ensure ample securities for the future protection of France, especially on her eastern frontier;

"2. To establish a strong Italy, with a formidable northern barrier against aggression;

"3. To create a strong Poland;

"4. To found a league of nations pledged on material as well as moral grounds, to the preservation of world peace."

British Strikers Resume Work

Railway Strike Resolution Was Rescinded and Miners Out are Returning

London. — The delegates to the conference of the National Union of Railwaymen have decided to accept the offer of the government for the settlement of their demands.

J. H. Thomas, general secretary of the union, said that the settlement was made subject to satisfaction being obtained on some points yet outstanding. The strike resolution was rescinded by the conference.

Thirty thousand South Wales miners have resumed work and the remainder of the strikers will fall in line.

Hun Liners Arrive in England

Leviathans of Atlantic Now Being Handed Over in Obedience to Allied Terms

Copenhagen. — The delivery of German merchant ships to the allies continues, dispatches received here from Berlin says. Various vessels of the Hansa line sailed from Bremen and the North German Lloyd liners Zeppelin, 15,000 tons, Waldeck, 6,517 tons, and Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm, 17,000 tons, sailed recently and were to be followed by the Meiningen. The North German Lloyd steamer Prinz Ludwig, 9,600 tons; Frankfurt, 7,400 tons; Alsborg, 7,000 tons and the new steamer Meissen, were to sail soon.

Other steamers of the North German Lloyd allotted to the allies are also preparing to sail soon.

The German Whine Over Peace Terms

Mons Welcomes Canadians

Paris. — The municipal council of Mons gave an official reception to General Loomis, officer commanding the Third Canadian Division, which formed part of the first army which liberated Mons on November 11.

French Post Abolished

Paris. — President Poincaré, acting on Captain Andre Tardieu's suggestion, has signed a decree abolishing the post of French high commissioner at Washington on April 1.

Weimar. — Speaking in the national assembly, Philipp Schidenann

the German chancellor, said semi-official reports were increasing that fresh aggressions in the peace conditions are expected to be announced; that unprecedented sums in compensation are to be imposed; that wide stretches of purely German territory are to be taken and that crushing restrictions are to be imposed in financial and military matters.

"Assuredly a large part of these alleged conditions are invented," the chancellor continued, "so that by repetition, they will accustom us to these unheard of demands and the final conditions may seem almost bearable to us. They are invented in order to create a minor war which will suffocate protest even against a peace of violence. Our peoples, which were ill-treated by the armistice more cruelly than by the war, must resist this method. A cry, not of a Chauvinist nature, but of the deepest despair, which appeals to the highest there is — to the conference of humanity — is going up throughout Germany."

Herr Schidenann said the protests against the alleged conditions were due to patriotic fears. The government knew this loyalty to the empire was one of its most valuable possessions entrusted to its control and would not permit it to be entrenched upon at home or abroad. The chancellor appealed to the people to stand together, adding:

"The so-called radicals of the left have no right to protest against a period of oppression for we are responsible under the treaties of Brest-Litovsk and Bucharest."

Declaring that Great Britain had rejected a proposal to establish an international tribunal to investigate responsibility for the war, Herr Schidenann said:

"Even if Germany were responsible for all the crimes she is accused of, has she thereby lost the right to protest against fetters which will throttle her?"

Hungary is Warned

Mere Socialistic Government Will Not Satisfy Autocrat of Red Russia

Copenhagen. — Premier Lénine, of the Russian Soviet government, has sent a wireless dispatch to Bela Kun, the Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, asking for guarantees that the new Hungarian government is really communistic and not merely socialistic. Lénine declared that he was "dreading" "our Russian tactics in dealing with the Hungarian situation."

In his message, Lénine says: "Owing to the peculiar circumstances, an acute certain it would be a mistake for the Hungarian revolution to imitate our Russian tactics in detail. I must warn you against this mistake."

Vote to Keep Rhine Territory

Meetings of Protest in Germany Against "Emulating Peace"

Paris. — The Prussian national assembly has voted unanimously against the relinquishment by Germany of any of the Rhine territory, especially the Saar basin, according to German dispatches reaching here. The assembly also told of meetings of protest multiplying in all parts of Germany against what is called an "emulating peace." According to the Zurich correspondent of the journal these manifestations are being organized by the government through Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the foreign secretary.



HELP WANTED!

Keep away from the flame of the candle if you don't want your wings singed, is a proverb as old as the hills. So old we have almost forgotten to apply it to ourselves. In every community men and women are irritating the moths. How many times have we been singed by the fascination of that long distance "bargain" when we have many times have we come back and back again, to the flame? How much money is lost each year to this community by this same annoying process? The flame of the candle moths higher. The moths crowd closer and closer to the flame. It is our business to put that flame out. Wanted.—A few men and women in our community to apply the snuffer.

Opposed to Fixed Prices

Views of Hon. Crerar and the Government Seem to Harmonize

Ottawa. — Hon. Mr. Crerar, answering W. D. Cowan, of Regina, in the agricultural committee, said that in opposing a fixed price for wheat he spoke only for himself and not for the government.

It is a habit that ministers have of the premier speaks for the government. At the same time, those on the inside at Ottawa know that the sentiments of the government are those of Mr. Crerar. They have been talking about it since last fall and there has been so far no division of opinion against the proposal. Mr. Crerar broke the ice, but, voicing only his own views officially, he voiced, unofficially, the views of his colleagues.

Saskatchewan members will now throw the question into parliament, with a direct resolution calling for a fixed price. The outlook is not promising.

Dominion Troops Parade in London

London. — It is understood that Lord Milner, British secretary for the colonies, is giving his personal attention to the question of the ceremonial parade through London by the Dominion troops before their departure for home.

Many newspapers here are constantly expressing regret that the overseas soldiers are being allowed to depart practically without a send-off.

Rheumatism

In Back and Leg

Sometimes So Bad You Can't Walk—Pain Almost Unbearable—Found a Cure After Five Years of Suffering

Sanguido, Alta, April 8.—Here is more proof that the way to get rid of pain is by cleansing the system of poisonous impurities.

When the kidneys fail to do their work of purifying the blood there is sure to be pain and suffering. Lumbago, rheumatism, backache, headache, pains in the limbs, are the natural result. Mr. Robinson found that when he got the action of the kidneys by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, that the pains and aches disappeared. Cure was effected in eight years ago so he can safely be called happy.

Mr. J. A. Robinson, Sanguido, Alta, writes: "I suffered from kidney trouble for years. I also had rheumatism in my back and down one leg, and sometimes I could not walk. The rheumatism would settle in my hip or the calf of my leg. I was miserable. I tried three different cures, but it was of no avail. I suffered this way for about five years. Then Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were recommended to me. I had used the first box I was completely cured. It is now eight years since I first took them, and I am in the best of health today. I always take a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills on hand and take one occasionally."

Mr. D. T. Kuhn, Comstock, Ont., writes: "Mr. J. A. Robinson, Sanguido, Alta, is personally known to me and I have every reason to believe him to be a man of his word and that his and all other circumstances."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one a dose, 25¢ a box. At all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, 111-113, Dundas St. W., Toronto, into accepting substitutes or imitations, for they only disappoint.

Must Pay Own Way

Soldiers' Dependents Who Left Canada After Signing of Armistice Return at Own Expense

Ottawa. — Owing to the fact that a number of soldiers' dependents are leaving for England in the expectation of returning with their soldier relatives, the order in council for Canada of expenses of repatriation has been amended. It now provides that no expenditure shall be incurred by the government in the repatriation of any soldiers' dependents who left Canada for the United Kingdom, France or Belgium, on or after November 11, 1918.

Those, therefore, who have left Canada for the United Kingdom since the signing of the armistice will have to return at their own expense.

War Shows Financial Strength of Britain

Paris. — Persistent rumors that all Europe is on the verge of a financial crisis are not justified by the facts, a prominent United States financial expert, who has been engaged for many months in studying the problems facing the peace conference, said in a statement recently.

Conditions were serious, he added, but not panicky, and will doubtless be relieved greatly when peace is signed and the embargoes lifted. He predicted that England will be stronger within a year than ever before because of her unusual commercial

enterprise and the courage with which she meets her debt by taxation.

Great Britain, with a war debt of \$40,000,000,000, the financier added, is in a situation comparing favorably with her debt per capita wealth at the conclusion of the Napoleonic wars. The allies owe Great Britain between \$9,000,000,000 and \$10,000,000,000. The financier stated that only about four billions of the twelve billions of dollars invested abroad by Englishmen before the war had been disposed of.

Locals And Personals

The Oyen Red Cross beg to acknowledge with thanks a quilt given by Mr. McElroy.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baker, of Fairacres, on Monday, March 31st, a son.

L. G. Chapman, who has resigned his position as the Farmers' elevator here, left last week for his farm in the Acadia Valley district. The elevator will be open for three days a week during the summer months, and will be under the management of Mr. Jas. Humphrey.

T. S. Hunter, of Chinook, was a visitor in Oyen last week. The road to success is paved with a good advertisement.

Mr. W. Krick, of New Brigen, who has been spending the winter months down east, returned last Wednesday with his bride.

Pte. Charley French, a well-known farmer in the New Brigen district, died in a hospital in England about a month ago, from wounds received in the head while in action in France last August. Pte. French enlisted in the 175th battalion, which was recruited at Medicine Hat.

The little boy was on his knees in his night dress saying his prayers, and his little sister couldn't resist the temptation to tickle the soles of his feet. He stood it as long as he could and then said: "Please God, excuse me while I knock the stuffing out of Nellie."

A baseball match or cutting game is an interesting event to some, but more of your friends are interested in any event that concerns you. If you go away on a visit or friends come to visit you, see that the fact reaches this office before publication day.

Mrs. Hallup skipped a carload of horses from Oyen last week to Melfort, Sask.

Mr. R. Cates received a telegram from his son Merton who has been serving over in France, to the effect that he had arrived in Canada and is now in Saskatchewan visiting friends. He expects to be in Oyen about the end of the week.

Mrs. A. T. Affleck, who has been undergoing an operation in the Calgary hospital, returned last Thursday.

Corp. Angus Swan returns after three years of warfare. Corp. Swan enlisted with the C.M.R.'s in 1915, and since that time has seen considerable fighting at the front. He was wounded four times, but glad to say his wounds were not very serious. Corp. Swan was engaged in farming in the Superior district previous to enlisting.

The members of the Oyen Red Cross Society will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Johnston's on Thursday afternoon, April 10th.

Pte. C. W. Halstead, a returned veteran from the Great War, arrived in town last Friday to re-visit old acquaintances. Pte. Halstead enlisted in the C.M.R.'s and went over to England in October, 1915. Previous to enlisting he was farming in the Spring Valley district.

Mrs. Nellie McElroy will lecture in Oyen on the 12th of June.

Eric Lee, who has been at Jethson, Alta., for the last couple of months, returned to his farm at Sunnydale last Thursday.

Charley Maul, of Spring Valley, returned from Vancouver last Thursday, where he has been spending the winter.

Mrs. T. W. Woods and family left on Sunday for Gleichen, where they will reside.

W. C. Johnston sold his three quarter-sections of land south of town to John Craig last week.

WALLIS

America's Foremost Tractor.

In every new industry, one manufacturer eventually becomes the leader. In the tractor field, the Wallis has become "America's Foremost Tractor."

The Wallis weighs 1,000 to 5,000 pounds less than tractors designed to do the same work. It has completely enclosed gears, including the final drive. It has a motor comparable in quality of material and workmanship, with the highest type aeroplane engine—it keeps cool. The Wallis has high-grade, strong steel in place of coarse heavy cast iron. It has all gears drop forged, cut and hardened. It has Hyatt Bearings throughout.

These features add years to the life of a tractor. They make breakdowns and delays almost unknown. They enable you to do 30 to 50 per cent more plowing per gallon of fuel than with the ordinary tractor.

In short, the Wallis is America's Foremost Tractor, because of its "thorobred" appearance, because it plows an acre of ground at less cost than any other; and because, at any kind of farm work it affords true economy.

Investigate the Wallis. Write us for the latest Wallis catalogue.

The Canadian Fairbanks Morse intend giving a demonstration in the district in the near future. The time and place will be advertised later. We also expect to have one of their tractors in stock by the 1st April.

Denton Brothers,

Local Agents, Benton, Alberta.

Spring Clothing at Special Prices.

APRIL 9th to 20th.

Men's Summer Underwear

We carry a large stock of Men's Summer Underwear in Combinations and 2 piece garments. This stock was bought 18 months ago and is much less than present prices. Your choice of Balbriggan, Lisle, Mercerized and Cotton from \$1.50 to \$5.00 Suits.

Boy's Work Boots

Boys' Heavy Work Boots. Amberst made of good quality leather, solid soles and counters, sizes 1 to 5. Tan and black. Reg. \$5.00 for \$4.50. Regular \$4.25 for \$4.35. Sizes 11 to 13, reg. \$3.00 for \$2.50. Regular \$4.25 for \$3.85. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Flannel Shirts \$3.95

Men's Grey Flannel Shirts with soft collars and cont. front. Sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Regular \$4.75 for \$3.95

SPECIAL

We carry an extra large stock of Clothing of all kinds. If you need anything in Boys or Men's Wear don't fail to see us. We can save you money as the bulk of our stock was bought last year when prices were much lower than today and our guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded protects you.

Read this Advertisement through, then fill out your list and shop early. These prices will positively save you money. These goods were all bought at low prices, and in many cases we are selling at lower than present wholesale prices. These prices for Cash Only.

\$35.00 SUITS \$25.00

If you want a first class suit at wholesale prices act now. These Suits cannot be replaced at the Special price we are offering for ten days. Made of all Wool Serge and fine worsteds in navy, brown and mixed colors. Sizes 36 to 44. Regular \$32.50 and \$35. Reduced price for 10 days only \$25.00.

FUR FELT HATS \$4.95

We are making a special offer for ten days only on all fine grade Dress Hats. Here you can choose from the new styles in Stetson and Waltham Hats. Regularly sold at \$5.00 to \$6.00 for \$4.95.

WORK SHIRTS at SPECIAL PRICES

Men's High-class Work Shirts made of Oxford Shirtings Drills and Sateens in light and dark colors. Extra large bodies and sleeves and all sizes from 14 to 18. Regular \$2.10 and \$2.25 for \$1.65. Men's Work Shirts of plain and striped Ginghams and Drill, extra large makes, all sizes. Regular \$1.75. Reduced to \$1.50.

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS \$1.95

Men's Fine Negligee and Outing Shirts made of fine quality Prints, Vestings, Ginghams etc. in neat stripes and patterns. Soft or Starched collars. Sizes 14 to 18. Regular values to \$2.50. Reduced to \$1.95.

\$2.25 OVERALLS and SMOCKS \$1.85

Men's Striped Overalls or Smocks made of good weight Cloth. As there are only a limited number in this lot we would advise early buying. Regular \$2.25. Reduced to \$1.85.

Read These Prices On Work Shoes Then Buy Now

Men's Work Boots
Made on Military last of good quality Kip leather. Solid leather soles and counters. No toe cap, black only. Reg. \$5.50. Reduced to \$3.95.

Men's Black Work Boots
Made of good quality Elk-leather. Standard screw and seven Viscolized soles, guaranteed solid throughout. Regular \$6.50. Reduced to \$4.95.

Men's Elk Boots
An extra good Boot for Spring wear made of good quality stock in tan and black. Solid leather sole and counters. Regular \$7. Reduced to \$5.95.

Men's Elk Boots
Made of extra fine stock. Soles are standard screw and awn. Boots guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Reg. \$8. Reduced to \$6.95.

Men's Work Boots
Made of selected quality Calf leather with solid good quality soles. Solid Counters and double strength toes. Tan and Black. Reg. \$10. Reduced to \$7.95.

Men's High Boots
Made of good quality Elk leather, 12 inch tops, two straps, Viscolized soles and solid Counters. Reg. \$11.50. Reduced to \$9.95.

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Dr. H. C. Swartzlander
Physician and Surgeon,
Oyen, Alberta

John P. Kerr
Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario
Veterinary College,
Main St. Oyen, Alta

F. C. McClean
Barrister, Solicitor,
Notary Public

Agent for Holland-Canada Mortgage
Co. and Netherlands Transatlantic
Mortgage Company
Oyen Alberta

J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.
Barrister, Solicitor and
Notary Public
Money to Loan
Oyen, Alberta

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Five years study in Germany
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Knights of Pythias,
OYEN LODGE, No. 16, meets on
the second and fourth Fridays
of every month, in their Castle Hall,
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Visiting members are cordially
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MEET EVERY
Wednesday Night at 8 p.m. sharp,
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Visiting Brethren Welcome.
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Regular services will be held
First and Third Sundays in
each month at 10 a.m.
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JOHN OSZUST,
—Dealer In—
Pumps, Windmills and Stock Tanks
Oyen, Alberta.

Notice To Farmers,
For the benefit of farmers in
the district, during the season
I am prepared to loan kinds of
BLACKSMITH WORK.
DAN MCQUARRIE,
18-27-4, 3 miles south of Landre,
Concert at Glenada School

The concert held in Glenada
school Friday evening under
the auspices of the Glenada U.
F.W.A., despite the unfavorable
weather and roads, was very
successful. A program consisting
of songs, recitations and
dialogues was given by local
talent. Mr. Frowin, in a brief
address, outlined the recent U.
F.A. Convention at Medicine
Hat.

Johnston the Clothier

OYEN A. FRY, Mgr.

Scavenging. Scavenging.

Spring thaws are here and it is necessary if the health of the town is to be safeguarded, that rubbish heaps and back-yards be cleaned up, before obnoxious smells arise.

We have special equipment for doing all kinds of scavenging, and our men are expert. Let us do it now. Prices reasonable.

The Oyen Livery and Feed Stables

Edwin Collinge, Proprietor.

Oyen Harness and Shoe Store

We have a full stock of

Horse Blankets, Fur Robes, Overshoes, Mitts and Gloves

Thos. Thompson,

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WHEN you decorate your home, you must consider aesthetics as much as beauty. And when you can get a finish that combines both these qualities, by all means use it. For a delicate velvety wall surface that can be washed and kept clean, there is nothing so pleasing as

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Made in beautiful tints, as well as white, Fresconette gives the ideal decorative effect for any room in the house. It flows easily from the brush, and, once on, it is permanent. Fresconette does not rub off, even with soap and water. It is a flat oil paint, with all the lasting qualities of our famous B-H "English" Paint, but without the gloss which makes an exterior paint undesirable for walls and ceilings.

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Ask us to show you the Fresconette Color Card.

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CLASSIFIED ADS.

LOST—\$100 REWARD. Information leading to the recovery of bright bay gelding, 4 years, weight about 1,200 lbs., white spot on face, white right hind foot. Oyle, Brand and XV off left thigh.

Apply Art, Gibson, Oyen.

STRAYED—From Sec. 25-24, dark Sorrel gelding, star on forehead, white hind foot, weight about 1,200. Sorrel gelding, with silver mane and tail and white hind foot, weight 1,200, had halter on when last seen. Dark Bay gelding, weight about 1,100, docked tail, white face, three white feet. A reward of \$10 will be given for information leading to the recovery of any of the above. Apply to J. J. McKenna, Oyen, Alta.

LOST—Bay Mare, coming 5 years, weight about 1,100 lbs., white spot on face, bracked Violette B on left hip. Edw. Collinge, Oyen, Alta.

FOR SALE—Purchased Yorkshire pigs, farrowed March 18, from large mature parents. Price \$12 at 8 weeks old, including registration certificate.—E. H. Davies, Oyen 24-24, Rexol.

For Sale—Eggs for setting from pure-bred Rhode and Rhode Island Reds. Price \$1.25 for 15. A. C. Thomas, Sec. 15-26-3, Oyen.

LOST—Dark Grey Mare, coming 3 yrs, weight about 1,000 lbs., M clipped on left ribs. Howard for information leading to recovery of seller, Geo. Myer, Mylen, Alta.

WANTED—From 50 to 300 acres of breaking to do. Apply to Jack Harris, Box 28, Oyen.

FOR SALE or RENT—Three roomed shack on Main St. Apply to F. C. McClean, Oyen.

FOR SALE—A new Gray Dart car, only run about 100 miles. Will be sold reasonable. Apply to Danie MacDonald, 14 miles north of Ben, ton.

FOR SALE—Four good work mules, young. Price \$200. Terms, half cash—V. R. Wallace, west half of 7-23, New Brighton, Alta.

FOR SALE—Three horses, very cheap. John Deere 1616 die, nearly new; post axlet, also a good saddle pony.—B. E. Van Horn, section 2-2-4, Oyen.

REWARD OF \$1000 for information leading to recovery of one light bay, almost buckskin, gelding; weight about 1,450 lbs.; both white hind feet and a little white on left front foot, and white hairs on both shoulders, white stripes on face. Dark bay gelding, weight about 1,200 lbs., tall and slim, broad white stripe down face extending to mouth, dropped hips.—Geo. P. Graybill, Oyen.

BARRIED PLYMOUTH ROCKS—We have the best pen of Barred Rocks (dark matting) in this part of the country. No need to send away for eggs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price \$2.00 for 15, delivered in Oyen or at Blunk Bonnie Farm, south half 12-24.—B. C. Watts, Oyen.

FOR SALE—Six Bronze Turkeys—Apply Mrs. G. R. Fry, Beaton, Alta.

WANTED—Middle-aged housekeeper for small family in town. Highest wages paid. Apply Oyen News.

FOR SALE—2 Lots on 2nd Avenue, Sun for cash. Apply News Office.

TENDERS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Board of Trustees of South View School District, No. 3450, at the office of the Secretary-treasurer up to noon, Eleventh April, 1919, for the erection of a frame school building. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Secretary-treasurer on payment of a deposit of \$5.00, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender with plans and specifications. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Department of Education. E. J. DANIELS, Secretary-treasurer.

Address, Capetown.
Date, March, 1919.

CLEANING AND DYING

Send your old clothes and household linens to Rose to be dry cleaned and dyed and save many dollars through the year. We handle the most delicate fabrics. It Rose cleaned—It's CLEA-M-A. Arthur Rose, Saskatoon, Sask.

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FARMERS, MAIL YOUR FILMS TO US FOR DEVELOPING AND PRINTING. THE BEST PHOTOGRAPHERS IN ALBERTA AND SASK.

R.M. ACADIA NO. 241

The first regular meeting of the council of the Municipal District of Acadia, No. 241, was held at Acadia Valley on March 6.

Present: Councillors G. Mills, W. R. Henry, R. G. Rutherford, A. Q. Barber, P. C. Bohannon and Wm. Green. Officials Appointed to Office: P. C. Bohannon—Reeve for the year. A. T. Barber—Deputy reeve for first six months.

M. S. Murphy—Secretary-treasurer for year at salary of \$1,000, to take office April 1st.

W. H. Peterson—Auditor. Communications Deposed Or School districts estimates for 1919 accepted.

Donnie Brier, \$1,100; Hogewell, \$1,200; Clevenah, \$200; Eugene View, \$1,600; Cleveland, \$500; Carlyle, \$600; Grinnell, \$500; Acadia, \$900; Superba, \$500; Lonely Trail, \$1,000; Glen-dale, \$1,000; Bryant, \$1,100.

Accounts Accepted

Bruce S.D.—Demand \$206.60
Dist. Municipal Affairs—Secre-tary's bond premium 7.50
Western Municipal News 7
copies News 6.80
Acadia Valley Supply Co. stamps 11.00
Albion News, stationery 12.50
Oyen News, stationery 7.50
Empress Express, stationery 67.75
Election expenses 90.35
W. H. Peterson, M.O.H. charges 55.00
P. C. Bohannon, expenses at convention 20.50
D. M. Graham, salary standing-ery, etc 242.45
Secretary-treasurer, and grand handling expenses 45.00
M. H. McInnes, balance road-struction 7.00
Appraiser's fees, District No. 1 6.45
Reps. of Committees

Reeve Bohannon, who represented this municipality at the municipal convention at Calgary, reported that our resolution asking that the Municipal Act be amended so that damages for trespass by stock may be collected whether the same are enclosed by a fence or not, had passed at the convention, and would be placed before the Legislature by the association which means that we will very likely get this much needed legislation.

In regard to the "Burgess Pound Case," the action that the Councillors and secretary took immediately, in engaging the services of Mr. J. J. Kelly, barrister to defend the case, was ratified by the council, and it was unanimously voted to push the case in question to the limit, for as is quite evident on the outcome of these cases hangs the effectiveness of our herd bylaws.

The council ordered from the Kilmarnock Co., 600 packages of copper polish which will be distributed free on the same basis as was done last year.

Just before the close of the meeting the matter of our municipal banking account came up for discussion.

Mr. Webster, manager of the Bank of Toronto, Sibbald, came before the council and solicited the business for this year. Mr. Webster advised the council that his bank would grant us our exchange rates at their different branches in the province. They would allow us a full line of credit and would take up our present notes held by other banks at a 7 per cent. rate of discount.

However, the council felt that we would have to make a sacrifice of interest to take up before the due date the amount of notes which were now owing to the Union Bank that we need grain and other purposes.

Accordingly the offer made by the Bank of Toronto was declined.

I may say for the information of ratepayers that since this meeting of the council, I have been advised by the manager of the Union Bank that our interest rate has been set for the present year at seven per cent. before due as well as after due, which in reality means a saving over the former rate of about one and two-thirds per cent, for under the old discount system we paid eight per cent. in advance on the face amount of our notes, and only had the use of the proceeds.

BENTON NEWS.

There was a dance held in the Benton hall last Wednesday night. It being a busy time of the year for the farmer, only a small crowd were present. The night was enjoyed by all.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. Ed. Shaw and his family. Hopes they will soon be all able to be out again.

The auction sale of W. Smith's farm stock which was held last Friday was a great success and the owner was well pleased with the high prices.

Miss Olive Shaw returned last week from Drumheller where she has been visiting friends.

Support Home Trade!

Have Your Eyes Tested
by Your Local Optician

We guarantee satisfaction in every way, and should you need to have your eyes examined by a Specialist we will be able to tell you. We are here today and every day.

J. W. CROCKETT
Jeweller and Optician, Oyen, Alta.



Total Assets
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There is no better time than now to open a Savings Account with the Bank of Toronto.

We welcome your account and are always ready to extend every possible courtesy and service to our depositors.

THE BANK OF TORONTO
Oyen Branch

B. E. KELLY,

Manager.

A Branch of this Bank has been opened at Lanfane.

If You Want the Best Bargains in
MEN'S WEAR

Try us we have a full line to fit you with, and the price is right. We guarantee to give you full value for your money. Try us for your next **GROCERY ORDER**, and see how much you will save, and the attention you will receive.

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THE DAIRY COW.

The dairy cow's a thing of charm. She lifts the mortgage from the farm, and makes the farmer's life more sweet, and sets him down on any street. Where'er the dairy cow is queen, a country prosperous is seen, and dairymen in joyful ranks, are packing bullock to the banks. Why plug along the old and way, producing nutmegs, prunes and hay, and putting up a bankrupt will if one year's crop should chance to fail, there is a better method now, the method of the dairy cow; this critter always earns her keep, and piles up riches while you sleep, and pays the taxes and the rents and here in Western Canada, gents, we have the climate and the feed, and all conditions dairies need. So let us boost the Holstein cow, which beats the old breed-loading plow, the Guernsey and the Jersey too, as smooth as any cow in view. Let's talk up dairies, milk cream, the safest money-making scheme.—WALT MASON.

BATTEN BAILEY,

DELAVAL SEPARATORS AND HARDWARE,
Lanfane, Alta.

(ESTABLISHED 1872)

BANK OF HAMILTON

To do without a thing until you can pay cash is sometimes good business policy. You get the article at a lower price and so save money; you also get interest on the money while you are accumulating it, if you will deposit it in the Savings Department of the Bank of Hamilton.

OYEN BRANCH, H. T. LAMONT, Manager.

\$10 Reward

Lost.--Brown Gelding.

White stripe on face and a little white on both hind feet, branded O F on left shoulder, weight about 1350 lbs.

Reward of \$10.00 for recovery of same.

Sam Finstead, Section 10-27-4, Oyen.



Pathe presents "Moral Suicide" produced by the Graphic Film Corporation, story and direction by Ivan Abramson. The Film will be shown at the Oyen Theatre, Friday and Saturday, April 11-12 and is a photo dramatic triumph with a vitally interesting story based upon an important life problem in which the absorbing details are unfolded in a most graphic manner by J. Mason and a strong supporting cast.

ADVERTISE IN THE OYEN NEWS

Furs! Furs! Furs!
To Farmers and Trappers

If You Have

Muskrat, Wolf or any other Furs

Bring them to your home town where you will get the highest cash price and a square deal at—

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SERVICE

Get Your Draying done by

J. R. SANDERS,
At The Alberta Livery Barn.

LOCAL ITEMS

BORN—To Horace Saggs, of Bentail, on March 31st, a son.

John Love, who has been assisting in the Freedland store for the last three months, left on Monday for his farm.

E. J. Bridgeman, Opt. D., Eye, Sight Specialist and Optometrist of Saskatoon, will be at the Alberta hotel, Oyen, on Wednesday, April 16th.

Friends of Mr. Fred Morrison will be pleased to learn that he is back in the district and a visitor in Oyen.

Mrs. H. Chase of Lundin district, left on Monday for Edmonton where she will receive medical treatment.

Miss K. McIntosh has been receiving a visit from her brother, Lieut. G. F. McIntosh of Saskatoon.

W. H. Chandler, who has been spending the winter in Calgary, returned on Monday.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church gave a farewell social on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Alex Corless at the home of Mrs. J. Howard Alexander.

R. S. Gravett and J. Howard McCullough of Gold Spring, were visitors in town over the weekend.

Sergt. M. Gaskell, who has recently returned from France with the American forces, spent a few days in this district visiting his mother, Mrs. Gaskell. He left yesterday morning for Iowa.

The services on Fairness Circuit, Sunday, April 13, will be as follows: Wenger Heights 11 a.m., Glenda 3 p.m., Rush Center 7:30 p.m.

SPEND MILLIONS AND EMPLOY THOUSANDS

Canadian National Railways Outlines 1919 Program—Branch Lines to Be Constructed and Other Systems Improved in West

The program outlined for the west this year by the government embraces the construction of branch lines of the Canadian National Railways in every province, according to an announcement made by D. B. Hanna, president, who with M. H. Macdonald, vice-president, and A. E. Warren, general manager, is making an inspection trip in the west this week. The work will involve the expenditure of several million dollars and the employment of thousands of additional men.

Tenders are now advertised for the construction of the following lines:

Amaranth extension.
Lampman-Peebles line.
Melfort north-easterly.
Eaton south-easterly.
Turtleford extension.
Humboldt-Melfort.
Lack Lake extension.
Swift Current extension.
Olivier-St. Paul extension.
Acadia Valley line.
Hanna-Medicine Hat line.

In addition to the lines which the company is now calling tenders for, there are certain lines on which work will be started later on, such lines being not yet finally located and not sufficient information on hand to call for tenders pending completion of surveys. This, with many betterments to be undertaken where needed, will bring the Canadian National Railways to the highest possible standard of efficiency. The new branch lines will be in territories where they have been in great demand; territories that are, for the most part settled, and the additional railway facilities will have a great effect on production at once.

The Oyen Veteran's Club will give a dinner in the Alberta Hotel, Oyen on Friday evening, April 11th. All returned men are cordially invited.

A. Massie, who has been spending the winter in Calgary, returned yesterday morning.

Shipping Next Tuesday

Sell Your Cattle

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Best Prices Given.

Do You Realize

That a good farm is judged by the improvements thereon?

Good buildings are the first requirements of a successful farm. If your place lacks the proper buildings, why not see the "Beaver" man and arrange to get them. The "Beaver" is ready at all times to assist the farmers of this country in improving their buildings. We have the goods and can make immediate arrangements under any reasonable terms.

Thousands of patrons in the last seven years will bear us out in this. Whatever you require for this coming season you will find at the "Beaver."

"Get it at the 'Beaver.'"

Beaver Lumber Company

H. Hancock,

Manager.

Do Your Own Thinking.

And buy your Agricultural Implements, Engines, Threshers, Plows, Wagons, and Automobile, from the firm you think can give you the best service.

Don't overlook the fact that good service is of value to you, especially on small engines, tractors, and automobiles; and we have equipped our shop to repair anything, from a needle to a steamboat.

When in the market for a tractor remember we handle the well-known TITAN. Some of the local users of this tractor are: John A. MacArthur, Hanson and Anderson, Eric Berg, W. DePree, and J. Johnson, to whom you may refer as to reliability and service of this line.

See us before buying elsewhere. We appreciate your trade.

We handle the complete I.H.C. line and have a large stock of repairs for all their machines.



Our expert mechanics are at your service for all engine troubles that may crop up.

Peterson Motor Co.,

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Oyen, - Alberta.